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SUBJECT: CLAIMS NEGOTIATIONS -- AGREED ARTICLES

REF: STATE 137745

1. RE PREAMBLE, GOC ACCEPTED DEPARTMENT'S PREFERENCE THAT ORIGINAL US LANGUAGE READING "ADVANCING ECONOMIC RELATIONS" BE USED IN LIEU OF "ADVANCING ECONOMIC COOPERATION."

2. RE ARTICLE 5, PARAGRAPH 2, GOC ACCEPTED "CZECHOSLOVAK GOVERNMENT" VICE "GOVERNMENT OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA."

3. RE ARTICLES 4 AND 5, THE GOC AGAIN REJECTED INCLUSION OF PHRASE "SUMS PAID TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES" AS BEING LOGICALLY INCONSISTENT WITH COMPROMISE DELEGATIONS REACHED ON ARTICLE 1 (PRAGUE 1518) CONCERNING HANDLING UNRESOLVED PROBLEM OF VALUATION OF STEEL MILL AND SETTLEMENT OF CZECH CLAIMS RELATING TO MACHINERY AND ZIVNOSTENSKA CASES. IN ARTICLE 1 ONLY ONE SUM IS SPECIFIED BUT CREDIT FOR STEEL MILL (OF 8.9 OR 17 MILLION) AND OTHER CZECH CLAIMS (AT ZERO VALUE) ARE INCLUDED BY IMPLICATION AND WAIVED. NEVERTHELESS WE ABLE TO OBTAIN CZECH ACCEPTANCE OF PHRASE "COMPENSATION RECEIVED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES" IN LIEU OF PHRASE IN TEXT DRAFT. INCLUSION OF SUCH PHRASE REMOVES BASIS FOR APPREHENSION IN REFTEL. IF NO OBJECTION PERCEIVED, EMBASSY WILL ASSUME  
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